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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

This Amendment After Final Rejection is being filed in response to the Final Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on June 16, 2005 in the above-identified application. This Amendment places the claims in condition for allowance. Accordingly entry of this amendment is requested.

Please amend the application as follows: